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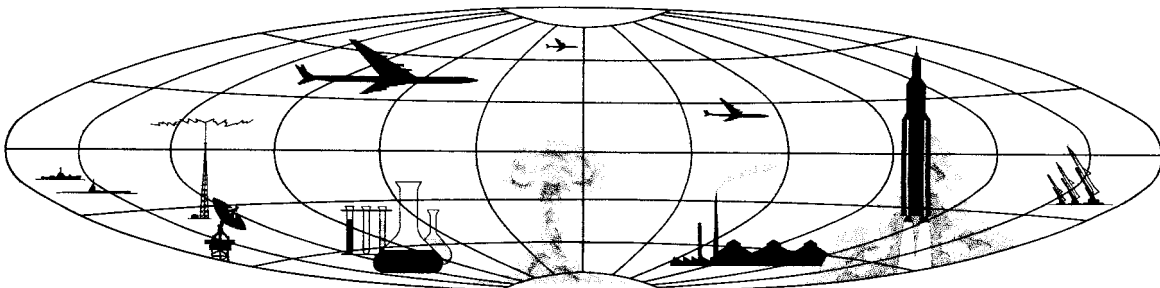
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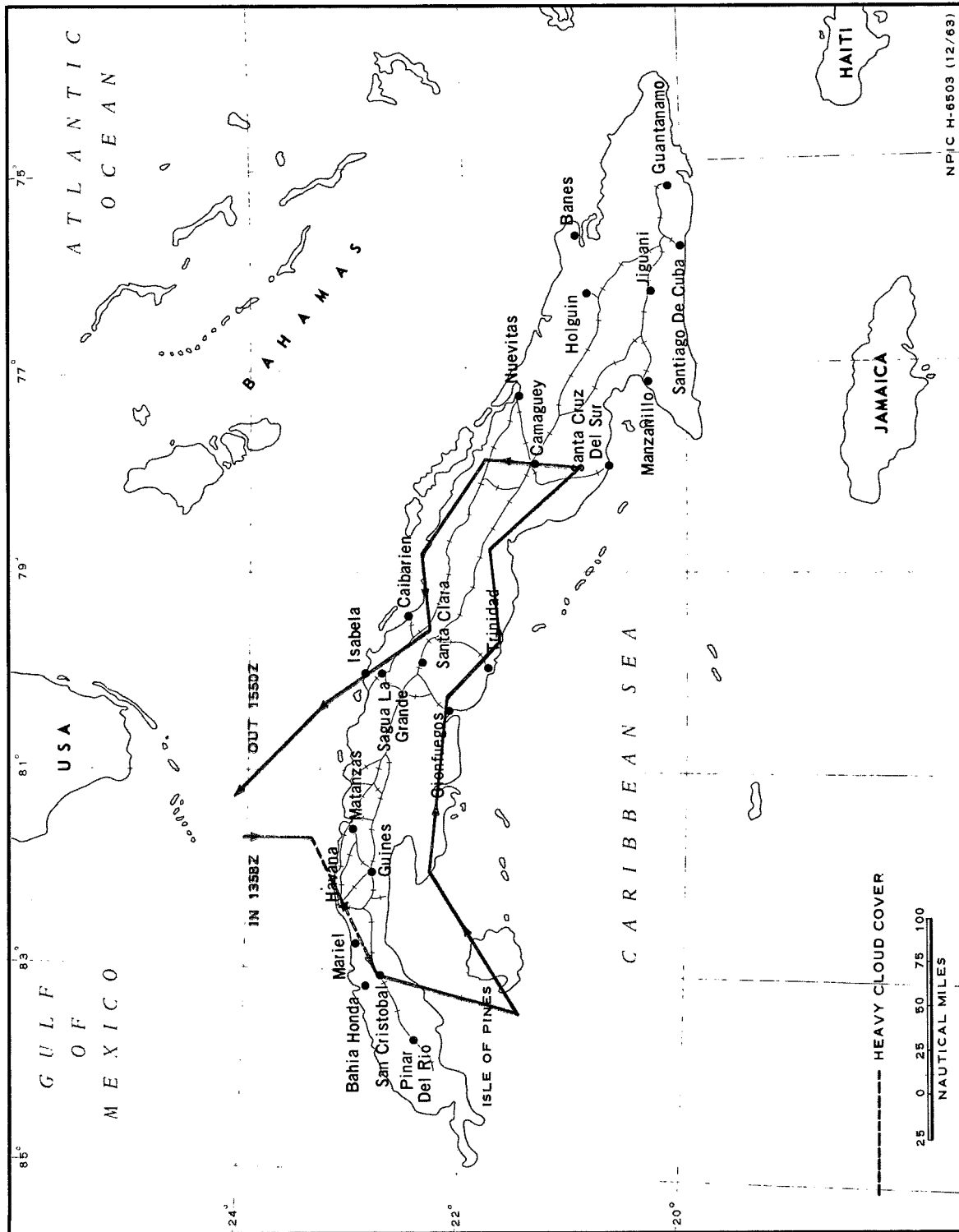
PREFACE

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY
ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM [REDACTED] 25X1A
MISSION 3801, DATED 27 DEC 1963. THE NUMBER
APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR
TARGET NUMBER.

SYMBOLS USED TO INDICATE CONDITIONS WHICH AFFECT THE
APPEARANCE OF THE TARGET ON THE PHOTOGRAPHY ARE AS
FOLLOWS -- C (CLEAR), SC (SCATTERED CLOUDS),
HC (HEAVY CLOUDS), H (HAZE), CS (CLOUD SHADOW),
SD (SEMIDARKNESS), O (OBLIQUITY),
PQ (POOR IMAGE QUALITY).

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-MISSILES-

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GUANAJAY IRBM SITE 1 2257N 08239W

NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OR ACTIVITY OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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REMEDIOS IRBM SITE 2225N 07935W

SITE APPEARS ABANDONED. NO ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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MARIEL SAM SITE 2300N 08249W

SIX REVETTED LAUNCHERS (5 NET-COVERED, 3 WITH MISSILES), 6 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR AND 4 VANS OBSERVED.

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CIENFUEGOS SAM SITE 2202N 08024W

SIX UNRENETTED LAUNCHERS (3 WITH MISSILES), ONE CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTER, 2 CANVAS-COVERED HOLD AREAS, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR AND CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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SAGUA LA GRANDE SAM SITE 2251N 08005W

SIX REVETTED, CANVAS-COVERED LAUNCHERS, ONE CANVAS-COVERED HOLD AREA, AND ONE GUIDANCE REVETMENT OBSERVED IN CLOUD AND SHADOW-FREE AREAS.

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CAIBARIEN SAM SITE 2228N 07929W

SIX UNREVIEWED LAUNCHERS (ONE WITH MISSILE AND 5 CANVAS-COVERED), ONE CANVAS-COVERED HOLD AREA, ONE POSSIBLE TRUCK-MOUNTED CRANE, 2 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED. FACILITIES INCLUDE ONE CANVAS-COVERED PARKING AREA, 9 LARGE TENTS (3 NON-SOVIET), ONE POSSIBLE LARGE TENT (NON-SOVIET), 5 SMALL TENTS, AND 3 LARGE SHEDS.

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SANCTI SPIRITUS SAM SITE 2147N 07929W

SITE ABANDONED.

25X1D

SIGUANEAS SAM SITE 2137N 08257W

SIX LAUNCHERS (5 REVETTED, CANVAS-COVERED), ONE PROBABLE MISSILE ON TRANSPORTER IN HOLD AREA, 3 CARGO TRUCKS AND A CANVAS-COVERED GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED. NW AREA -- 7 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS AND 10 FA PIECES. SSE AREA -- 2 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS AND 7 CARGO TRUCKS.

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CIFUENTES SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2236N 08005W

AT LEAST 10 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES OR PIECES OF EQUIPMENT OBSERVED. FOLIAGE PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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MAJANA SAM SITE 2241N 08249W

SIX UNREVIEWED LAUNCHERS (3 CANVAS-COVERED, 3 NET-COVERED), 6 PROBABLE MISSILE TRANSPORTERS IN 3 COVERED HOLD POSITIONS AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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SANTA CLARA SAM SITE 2229N 08000W

SIX UNREVIEWED LAUNCHERS (ONE WITH MISSILE, 4 CANVAS-COVERED), 2 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS (ONE CANVAS-COVERED), 2 CANVAS-COVERED HOLD AREAS, 5 CARGO TRUCKS, AT LEAST 7 CANVAS-COVERED PROBABLE TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR AND CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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SIGUANEIA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2137N 08258W

TWO REVIEWED LAUNCHERS, 5 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 8 NET OR CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE CRATES, ONE MISSILE ASSEMBLY TENT, ONE UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLE, AND A CANVAS-COVERED GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED.

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-AIRFIELDS-

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CAMILO CIENFUEGOS AIRFIELD 2229N 07955W

AIRCRAFT -- 7 FAGOT/FRESCO AND 4 HOUND.

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CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2125N 07751W

AIRCRAFT -- 3 CRATE AND 2 LIAISON OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS. SCATTERED CLOUDS AND HAZE PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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SIGUANEA AIRFIELD 2138N 08257W

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED.

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SAN ANTONIO DE LOS BANOS AIRFIELD 2252N 08230W

AIRCRAFT -- 20 FISHBED, 2 FARMER, 7 FAGOT/FRESCO, AND
4 DERELICT FAGOT/FRESCO OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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JOSE MARTI INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2259N 08224W

OPERATIONS AREA -- 3 CRATE OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE
AREAS.

MAINTENANCE AREA -- 2 CONSTELLATION AND ONE C-54
OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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CAMPO LIBERTAD AIRFIELD 2305N 08226W

AIRCRAFT -- 3 LIAISON OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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COLONEL MARTIN MARRERRO AIRFIELD 2150N 08247W

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED.

FIVE EMPLACEMENTS OF THE 6-GUN AAA SITE ARE OCCUPIED.

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-PORTS-

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MARIEL NAVAL BASE AND NAVAL AIR STATION 2259N 08244W

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER (HATCHES OPEN, CRANES

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ACTIVE) AT CITY PIER AND 2 SMALL PC OBSERVED IN
CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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CABANAS NAVAL FACILITY 2258N 08258W

VESSELS -- 10 KOMAR-CLASS PGMG.
AREA 1 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. AT
LEAST 10 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES.
AREA 2 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
AREA 3 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. THE 7
UNIDENTIFIED CRATES REMAIN. POOR IMAGE QUALITY
PRECLUDES VEHICLE COUNT.
AREA 4 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. NO
VEHICLES OBSERVED.
AREA 5 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
AREA 6 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
PRINCIPAL PIER -- SIX LARGE AND 4 MEDIUM TENTS.

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CIENFUEGOS PORT 2208N 08027W

VESSELS -- ONE KRONSTADT-CLASS PC (ON MARINE
RAILWAY), ONE PCE, 6 PT BOATS, AND 2 LARGE
FREIGHTERS.

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NUEVA GERONA PORT 2153N 08248W

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER (BOOMS ACTIVE)
ANCHORED OFFSHORE.

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LA ISABELA PORT 2256N 08001W

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER (HATCHES OPEN, BOOMS
ACTIVE) AND ONE LARGE TANKER.

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CAIBARIEN PORT 2232N 07928W

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VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER (BOOMS ACTIVE AND 4
LIGHTERS ALONGSIDE) ANCHORED WEST OF CAYO FRANCES.

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CASILDA PORT 2145N 07959W

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NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

[REDACTED]

CABANAS PORT 2259N 08256W

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NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.
(SEE CABANAS NAVAL FACILITY.)

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BAHIA HONDA PORT 2255N 08311W

25X1D

NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

LA FLORA MILITARY STORAGE 2252N 08233W

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ELEVEN PROBABLE TANKS/SP GUNS OBSERVED.
DARKNESS PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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ARTEMISA MILITARY CAMP 2251N 08248W

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NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
THIRTY-NINE UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES OBSERVED.
THE 6-GUN AND 9-GUN AAA SITES REMAIN UNOCCUPIED.
FOLIAGE AND SHADOW PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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REMEDIOS MILITARY CAMP 2226N 07934W

MAIN CAMP -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN PERMANENT FACILITIES. SEVENTEEN LARGE (15 NON-SOVIET), 11 MEDIUM (10 NON-SOVIET), AND 4 SMALL TENTS, 4 UNIDENTIFIED TRACKED VEHICLES, 2 SNAPPERS, ONE PROBABLE SNAPPER, ONE BRDM APC, 2 PROBABLE BRDM APC, 253 CARGO TRUCKS, 15 VAN TRUCKS, 3 PROBABLE VAN TRUCKS, 6 POL TRUCKS, 4 POSSIBLE POL TRUCKS, 19 UTILITY TRUCKS, 5 CARGO TRAILERS, AT LEAST 14 MOTORCYCLES, 10 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES, 7 FA PIECES, AND 3 PROBABLE FA PIECES. THE 6-GUN AND 3-GUN AAA SITES ARE OCCUPIED. CAMP .8 NM NW -- NINE CARGO TRUCKS, 9 CARGO TRAILERS, AND 2 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES. CAMP 2.3 NM SE -- SITE APPEARS ABANDONED. NO ACTIVITY OR EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY 2221N 07957W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. NINETEEN PROBABLE TANKS/SP GUNS, 3 PROBABLE CARGO TRUCKS AND 3 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES OBSERVED.

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SANTA FE MILITARY CAMP LUMUMBA 2142N 08249W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. TWELVE CARGO TRUCKS AND ONE CARGO TRAILER OBSERVED.

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TRINIDAD AREA, POSS MIL HEADQUARTERS 2150N 07953W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. TWENTY-SIX CARGO TRUCKS AND AT LEAST 5 FA PIECES OBSERVED.

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GUANAJAY MILITARY CAMP MARTIN MESA 2257N 08243W

EIGHT PROBABLE TANKS/SP GUNS, AND AT LEAST 30 OTHER
VEHICLES OR PIECES OF EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.
DARKNESS PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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ANTON RECIO, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2211N 08036W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
TWENTY TANKS/SP GUNS, 6 CARGO TRUCKS, AND AN OCCUPIED
3-GUN AAA SITE OBSERVED.

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SANTA CLARA AREA, ARTILLERY TRAINING AREA 2224N 08000W

AREA 1 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. FOUR
PROBABLE CARGO TRUCKS AND 8 PROBABLE FA PIECES.
AREA 2 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. SIX
PROBABLE CARGO TRUCKS AND AN OCCUPIED 6-GUN AAA SITE.
AREA 3 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. FIVE
CARGO TRUCKS.
AREA 4 -- NINETEEN UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES OBSERVED.
AREA 5 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. TWENTY
PROBABLE TANKS/SP GUNS, 14 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES. THE
3-GUN AAA SITE APPEARS OCCUPIED.

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JAGUA, MILITARY AREA 2205N 08029W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
SEVENTEEN TRUCKS AND 18 FA PIECES OBSERVED.

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CIENFUEGOS LANDING BEACH 2202N 08036W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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ENSENADA COLORADO LANDING BEACH 2202N 08025W

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NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

PLAYA COLOMBO LANDING BEACH 2154N 08246W

25X1D

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

PLAYA DE FLAMENCOS LANDING BEACH 2153N 08243W

25X1D

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

-MISCELLANEOUS ACTIVITY-

LA ROSITA STORAGE DEPOT BARAJAGUA 2208N 08004W

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NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
ONE UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLE OBSERVED.

SANTA CLARA MILITARY INSTALLATION CUBANACAN 2224N 07953W

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CUBANACAN -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
TWENTY-ONE CARGO TRUCKS, 8 VAN TRUCKS, 9 UTILITY
TRUCKS, AND 4 CANVAS-COVERED UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES.
ESCUELA -- ONE HARE.
STORAGE AREA NORTH -- 2 CARGO TRUCKS, AND 6
UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES OBSERVED.

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-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO APPARENT CHANGE
SINCE LAST COVERAGE--

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SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 1	2240N 08317W
SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 3	2242N 08308W
SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 1	2244N 08002W
SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 4	2246N 08258W
MANATI SAM SITE	2113N 07702W
JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD	2209N 08025W
TRINIDAD AIRFIELD	2147N 07959W
PUNTA ALEGRE PORT	2223N 07847W
SURGIDERO DE BATABANO PORT	2241N 08212W
LA COLOMA PORT	2214N 08334W
CAYO FRANCES ENGINEERING SITE	2238N 07914W

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THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT
NOT INTERPRETED --

GUANAJAY IRBM SITE 2	2257N 08236W
MATANZAS SAM SITE	2301N 08129W
DELEITE SAM SITE	2259N 08045W
SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2257N 08221W
LA COLOMA SAM SITE 2	2219N 08334W
GUERRA CRUISE-MISSILE STORAGE	2300N 08250W
NUEVITAS PORT	2132N 07716W
MATANZAS PORT	2303N 08134W
BAHIA HONDA, MILITARY CAMP	2258N 08311W
SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS AREA MILITARY CAMP	2258N 08220W
TORRENS, MILITARY COMPLEX	2259N 08228W
LA JUTIA AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION	2155N 08016W
MARTI AREA, ARMOR TRAINING AREA	2258N 08059W
SPECIAL AREA HOTEL	2301N 08248W

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